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application, applicant must timely file one of the following replies: (1) an amendment, affidavit, or other evidence, which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114. The reply must be filed within one of the following time periods:  a) The period for reply expires	THE REPLY FILED 09 May 2008	FAILS TO PLACE THIS APPL	LICATION IN CONDITION FOR AL	LOWANCE.	
a) ☐ The period for reply expiresmonths from the mailing date of this final rejection.  In period for reply expires on. (1) the mailing date of this Advisory, Action, or (2) the date set forth in the final rejection, whichever is later. In no event, however, will the statutory period for reply expire later than SIX MONTHS from the mailing date of the final rejection. Exeminer Note: if box it is checked, check either box (a) or (b). OHLY CHECK BOX (b) WHEN THE FIRST REPLY WAS FILED WITHIN TWO MONTHS OF THE FINAL REJECTION. See NPEP 705.07(1).  Extensions of sine may be obtained under 37 CFR 1.134(a). The date on which the petition under 37 CFR 1.134(a) and the appropriate extension fee as the period of the see that the petition under 37 CFR 1.134(a) and the appropriate extension fee as the period of the set of the final rejection, even if timed 37 CFR 1.134(a) and the appropriate extension fee as the source of the final rejection, even if timed 37 CFR 1.134(a) and the appropriate extension fee as the forth in (b) above, if checked. Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of the final rejection, even if timed final rejection, even if timed 37 CFR 1.134(a) and any reduce any examed patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).  SOTICE OF APPEAL  In Notice of Appeal was filed on A brief in compliance with 37 CFR 41.37 must be filed within two months of the date of filing the Notice of Appeal has been filed, any reply must be filed within the time period set forth in 37 CFR 41.37(a).  MENDMENTS  In proposed amendment(s) filed after a final rejection, but prior to the date of filing a brief, will not be entered because (a) They raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);  (b) They raise new issues that would require further consideration and/or search (see NOTE below);  (c) They are an other demended to place the application in better form for appeal by materially reducing or simplifying the issues for appeal; and/or p	application, applicant must application in condition for for Continued Examination	timely file one of the following rallowance; (2) a Notice of Appe	replies: (1) an amendment, affidavit eal (with appeal fee) in compliance	t, or other evidence, w with 37 CFR 41.31; or	hich places the (3) a Request
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Continuation of 3. NOTE: The applicant introduced additional limitations that require further search and consideration. See claims 8 and 24.